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Whitehall, October 31.

SAturday laſt in the Evening their Majeſties, His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, His Royal Highneſs the Duke, and their Royal Highneſſes the Princeſſes, came from Kenſington to St. James's.

St. James's, October 31.

Yeſterday being the Anniverſary of His Majeſty's Birth-Day, His Majeſty received at Noon the Compliments of the Nobility, Foreign Miniſters, and other Perſons of Diſtinction. At Night there was a Ball. The Appearance was at both Times very numerous, and extremely ſplendid. On this Occaſion the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired; and in the Evening there were Bonfires, Illuminations, and other publick Demonſtrations of Joy throughout London and Weſtminſter.

This Afternoon about Two a-Clock, their Majeſties and all the Royal Family returned to Kenſington.

London, October 30.

On Saturday laſt John Barber, Eſq; Lord Mayor Elect for the Year enſuing, was ſworn at Guildhall; when the Chair and other Enſigns of Mayoralty were ſurrendered to him in the accuſtomed Manner.

This Day the late Lord Mayor, accompanied by the Aldermen, Recorder, and Sheriffs in their Scarlet Gowns, went in their Coaches to the Water-Side, the Sword and Mace being carried before them, and the City Officers attending; and from thence proceeded in the City Barge, attended by the ſeveral Companies in their reſpective Barges adorned with Streamers and Pendants to Weſtminſter; to which Place the new Lord Mayor, being indiſpoſed of the Gout, was brought in a Chair; and having paſſed round the Hall, and ſolemnly ſaluted all the Courts, they went to the Exchequer Bar, and the Lord Mayor did there take the Oaths appointed, and having recorded Warrants of Attorney in the proper Courts, returned to Blackfryars-Stairs, and from thence they went in Coaches with the uſual Solemnity to Guildhall, where a magnificent Entertainment was provided, at which were preſent the Great Officers of State, divers of the Nobility, Lords of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy Council, the Judges, and other Perſons of Quality and Diſtinction.

East-India-Houſe, Sept. 27, 1732.

Purſuant to a Reſolution taken this Day by the General Court of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies, Notice is hereby given to all the Bond Creditors of the ſaid Company, that they are to take the Principal and Intereſt that will be due on the 31ſt of March next; but as the preſent Poſſeſſors are entitled to a Preference of lending the Company at Three per Cent. that they are to have till the 31ſt of October next, to bring in their Bonds to be exchanged for others carrying Three per Cent. from the 30th of September Inſtant, payable in Eighteen Months, and that Ten Shillings per Cent. will be paid them as a Premium in Lieu of the Six Months Notice.

East-India Houſe, October 18, 1732.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the Eaſt Indies, do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be holden at their Houſe in Leaden-Hall Street, on Friday the Third of November next, purſuant to a Reſolution of the laſt General Court.

The Committee for Letting the Cities Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, give Notice, that they intend to Lett by Leaſe, The Place or Office of one of the Fifteen Sea Coal Meters of this City, vacant by the Death of Mr. Thomas Skinner; And that the ſaid Committee will ſit in the Council Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wedneſday the 29th Day of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Propoſals for the ſame: Of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforeſaid.

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